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## AVERT COAL STRIKE BY FIVE PER CENT ADVANCE

Settlement Reached at  
Cleveland by Miners  
and Operators

### PREDICTIONS VERIFIED

Agreements Made Exactly as  
Foretold in Mail--Short  
Suspension to Come

That the Mail had the correct "dope" on the mining situation yesterday is verified by the peace pact which came at the eleventh hour in the negotiations between the operators and miners' representatives in the conference at Cleveland as predicted. Peace by agreement was declared by an acceptance of the five per cent advance proposition for the miners in the bituminous field and there will be no strike. A short suspension is expected to follow to permit the operators and miners of the different States to settle their internal differences, but according to the agreement made in the joint conference, no change in present conditions will be made that will increase the cost of mining over the agreement reached in Cleveland or keep the miners from earning as much as they can.

By the agreement the miners will receive an increase of 5 cent, a ton on screened coal, three cents for mine run, five and five-tenths per cent for day labor and dead work, and five hours work on Saturday with five hours pay. All other demands are waived.

The settlement of the peace terms is credited to the work of the Illinois operators and miners. H. M. Taylor of the operators proved himself as great a general as the late Francis R. Robbins of Pittsburgh in his best days. On the side of the miners John H. Walker is given the credit of securing the advance. The operators were out-generaled. The operators of the states not represented will accept the "settlement" without question. There will be a suspension in the bituminous fields in all states except Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Texas and Oklahoma, where the miners have an agreement to work, pending negotiations for a contract. About 350,000 men are benefited.

President Francis Feehan of the Western Pennsylvania miners showed the greatest opposition to the settlement. He wanted to force the mine-run system of paying wages on the operators of his state. So did President Moore of Ohio. They were finally convinced that in the interests of peace they should withdraw their demands.

Immediately after the bituminous scale was settled an order was issued by the anthracite committee that the 173,000 miners in those fields suspend work April 1. It can be authoritatively stated however that negotiations will begin within a week for a settlement in the anthracite field.

#### Strong Photoplay at the Coyle.

Manager R. S. Coyle announces a strong photoplay for the Coyle Monday night. This is Mildred Holland, the noted emotional actress in "The Power Behind the Throne." The film is in two reels, and is a splendid presentation of this great masterpiece.

## Officers Are Named

Athens Club Fills Chairs for  
Ensuing Year--Will  
Study Inventors

At the meeting of the Athens Club Friday afternoon officers were elected for the ensuing year, and the subject chosen for the next year's study. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. T. M. Paddis, first vice president, Miss Elizabeth Hastings; second vice president, Mrs. Thomas Brown; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. Clive Enos; recording secretary, Mrs. Earl E. Piper; treasurer, Mrs. A. O. Davis. The subject selected for study was "Eminent Inventors and Scientists." Mrs. A. O. Davis was the hostess. The discussion of "Women's Influence in Education" was taken up. Miss Elizabeth Hastings spoke of "Mary Lyon, Founder of Mt. Holyoke College."

## MINE IS SCENE OF TRAGEDY

Miners Quarrel Deep in  
Workings and One  
is Fatally Shot

### AGGRESSOR GETS AWAY

More than a mile underground at the Armide mine of the J. H. Sanford Coal company at Raccoon, near Burgettstown, Philip Patrick, aged 25, an Italian miner, shot and killed Louis Bartmelo, his boarding boss, by firing three revolver bullets into his back. He then held a crowd of fellow miners at bay, leaped upon a motor truck, pressed the revolver to the driver's side, and compelled him to rush the car at full speed to the mouth of the mine. There he forced the truck driver to turn back, and while only the miners in the underground room where the tragedy occurred were aware of the tragedy, he went to his boarding house changed his clothes and made off across the hills in the direction of Cherry Valley and McDonald.

The shooting occurred about 8:30 o'clock Friday morning and it was more than half an hour afterward before one of the cowed Italian miners appeared on the surface and notified the coal company officials. A search immediately was made for Patrick, and when it was found that he had fled a posse of coal company officials

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### SATURDAY NIGHT DANCING SCHOOL.

Class for beginners at 7 to 8. Night's Auditorium. Social Dance 8 o'clock. The new Polka will be taught and danced. Wheeler. 199-1

## OVER NINE HUNDRED VISIT THE SCHOOLS

Patron's Day Attracts Large Number--Written  
and Drawing Work Done by Pupils  
an Interesting Feature

Picturesque displays of drawings and written work in all the rooms, paper cut figures in the lower grades exhibiting the kindergarten method of teaching, with tasteful building and room decorations lent a brilliant effect to the annual Patron's Day exhibition in the schools Friday afternoon and evening. In addition to the exhibitions of work scattered throughout every room in all the four schools pleasing programs were carried out for the entertainment of the visitors. It is estimated that in all over 900 persons registered.

In the lower grades the most noticeable product of the children were the paper figures. Their drawing and written work were also features. In the intermediate grades a surprising ability was shown by the pupils

in the preparation of their drawings and written work, which covered the blackboards. In the higher grades drawings and written work featured the same as on the intermediate grades. In High School rooms there was not any very great attempt made at decoration, but maps and various kinds of drawings including precise geometrical figures attracted much attention.

All the buildings were open in the evening from 7 o'clock until 8:30. During that period at the Crest avenue and Fifth street buildings special musical programs were rendered. One feature during the afternoon at Ninth street was a fire drill. At Second street there was a constant stream of visitors through the various rooms. Every visitor to the different buildings was registered.

## MONUMENT BALL CHANGES QUEERLY

Fallowfield Residents Notice  
Phenomena at Old Nelson  
Burying Ground

### MYSTERY AS TO CAUSE

Those who travel the public road passing by the cemetery of the Crow church in Fallowfield township have witnessed what they term a phenomenon in the appearance of the Nelson monument, says a writer in the Washington Record. In the Crow church burying ground one of the oldest in that neighborhood is located a red granite monument erected to the memory of John Nelson for years one of the prominent residents of this end of the county and a pioneer in his day. This monument which occupies an advantageous position in the burying ground has been pointed out to strangers and others in this neighborhood and all when told its story stand in utter amazement at its complete transformation, that is, of its top or ball portion.

This monument was erected about eight years ago and consists of a square base with an oblong piece of granite on the top. The work in building the foundation was carefully done and when the ball was placed in its resting place everything was plumb and the base of the monument to this day is still plumb but the granite has turned one-half around in its socket or almost that distance. Just how this ball was turned around can not be conjectured but there are many living in the vicinity of the burying ground itself who stoutly maintain that once during a great electric storm a peal of thunder rolled its reverberating sound across this section and after the storm and the shaking of the earth, as it were, this ball stood out of proportion with the rest of the monument and upon examination it was found that it had been jarred in some way or other almost one-half way around from its first resting place. The height of the monument and the weight of the granite piece itself would preclude the theory that it was the hand of man. No one believes here that such a thing could have happened.

The superstitious who believe in tokens and signs say that the turning of the ball is only a fulfillment of a prophecy made many years ago and manifested in a token that the day would come to pass that the "ball of the monument itself would show displeasure by turning its face from the motley throng." The face which fronted on the public road has turned away and now these believers in superstition stoutly maintain that the prophecy has come to pass. Just why the prophecy was made is not known nor can any of these people explain but they all say: "We were told the substance of the prophecy many years ago."

When you are out of coal call up Wise, Charleroi phone 213A. 194-60d

## MUST PAY FEE TO POST CARDS

Burgess Reamer Makes Ruling at Monessen for Benefit of Candidates

### WILL COST EACH \$5.00

If candidates for office wish to post Monessen with bills announcing the fact that they are candidates, they will have to pay \$5 for the privilege. Burgess Reamer has so declared. He has recently stated that he would just a little rather not have position and bills scattered about the town, but if candidates insist they must pay the license fee. After all but the handful of office seekers have been sent back to the mine or wherever they sprouted from, more or less gloriously defeated, the cards will be torn down and the said candidates assessed the cost. If there is anything left out of the \$5 by that time it will be refunded. Mr. Reamer says there will be a difference made in the size of the card or the apparent intelligence of the person whose picture it bears.

## LABOR EVANGELIST TO HOLD MEETINGS

Beginning on Monday, Rev. D. L. Schultz, the labor evangelist of the Pittsburgh Baptist Association, will start a series of evangelistic meetings at the First Baptist church on Washington avenue. Rev. Schultz was formerly a pastor of a Pittsburgh church of the Baptist denomination. He is one of the best known men in the association. For several months he has been engaged in the work among laboring men, and has found remarkable success in this field. He is in constant demand to make addresses at Union Labor conventions throughout all parts of the country. He is well versed in the subject, having spent considerable time in strike zones studying conditions. Rev. Schultz was to have spoke at a recent meeting here for strikers at Lawrence, Mass., but was unable to come. He will have a blind gospel singer to assist him during a part of the meetings.

## To Observe Palm Sunday

The anniversary of Christ's entry into Jerusalem or "Palm Sunday," as it is more commonly known, will be appropriately observed in all Catholic and some Protestant churches throughout the town Sunday. At St. Jerome's Catholic church the Palm Sunday services will be most elaborate. The passion will be read and palm branches distributed among members.

## LOCAL MILL INSPECTED BY CLEVELAND STUDENTS

## Let Contract For Ballots

Big Printing Job for Primary  
Election Comes to Monongahela Valley

Joe T. S. Cowan of the Roscoe Ledger, Roscoe has been awarded the contract for the printing of the primary ballots for the coming primaries. His bid was \$750 for printing 83,304 ballots.

Bids were submitted previously by three of the Washington job rooms, and after the bids had been opened and made public the commissioners reconsidered their action in awarding the contract and recalled the award. Bids were again asked for, and as a result several other firms submitted bids. The bids of the different printers were as follows: Ward Printing Co., \$1,195; Observer Job Rooms, \$1,435; Record Co., \$1,310; Monongahela Times, \$778; Roscoe Ledger, \$750 and Wm. G. Johnston, \$975.

## PREACHES GOSPEL OF GOODNESS

Erasmus Wilson Presents  
Subject in New Light  
by Lecture

### REASON THINGS HAPPEN

Preaching the old Quaker philosophy that whatever is, is right, and that it is up to man to keep it so, Erasmus Wilson, the noted "Quiet Observer" of the Pittsburgh Gazette Times entertained a fair-sized audience at First Christian church Friday evening by his lecture "The Eternal Fitness of Things." His address was inspiring and a practical treatise of a difficult subject to understand.

He said that man was made for the world and not the world for man. Consequently the world and everything in it, the handiwork of God, was perfect at the time of its making. Man was perfect. If since the time of his creation man has degenerated, it is his fault and not that of his Maker. Declaring his supreme belief in the gospel of goodness, Mr. Wilson affirmed his belief in a loving God and not a God to be feared, and that the world and the people in it are growing better all the time.

The lecturer asserted his profound belief in compensation. That no event occurs but what there is a cause, he said, was his firmest conviction. If there is sufficient demand for a new kind of bug or a new kind of animal, it will be provided.

At the time of Lincoln's death,

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Finish up Southern Trip  
by Visit to Charleroi  
Factory

### STUDYING ELECTRICITY

Class of Sixteen With Professor Tour Plants in Various Southern Cities

Conducting a tour through a part of the south and to the Pittsburgh district, the senior electric class of the Case School of Applied Science, of Cleveland, Ohio, visited Charleroi Friday night and today, and viewed the process of glassmaking at the Macbeth-Evans Glass plant. Sixteen students composed the party, which is headed by H. B. Dates, professor of electrical engineering.

The class came here from Pittsburgh, where on Friday they went through the Westinghouse Electrical plant. They came there from Washington, D. C., where they visited various government plants. They viewed plants in Cincinnati, Ohio, Chattanooga, Tenn., Atlanta, Ga., Charlotte, N. C., Washington and Pittsburgh.

At the Macbeth-Evans Glass plant attention was paid to the manufacture of shades, reflectors and several kinds of blown glass. Last year the senior electrical class visited here.

In the party this year are the following: D. C. Herriek, F. E. Brooks, J. J. Kojan, T. H. Fonda, C. M. Bosworth, C. B. Thorne, R. F. Kaighin, D. C. Meyer, S. H. Clemmer, C. L. Wubker, J. H. Deutch, J. Freeman, M. M. Rosenblatt, A. H. Newton, C. J. Maloney, H. C. Branch and Prof. Dates. Accompanying the party was L. L. Hopkins of the Macbeth-Evans Glass company. He guided the party through the plant.

## Makes Model of Aeroplane

Among the finest displays of work of pupils of the schools on exhibition Patron's Day on Friday were two small model aeroplanes, the handiwork of Earl Coulter the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coulter of Prospect avenue. One of the aerial crafts is a Blériot model monoplane. The other is a Wright-Curtiss biplane. Both are constructed of wood, with all the necessary attachments of larger aeroplanes. They are about three feet long. Moving moveable rudders and forward planes the lad is able to fly them as gliders. He is planning the construction of a "glider" on a large scale this summer. Earl is a pupil of Miss Ida Hugg, in the Eighth grade.

#### Well Known in Valley.

John M. Sisley, died at his home at Knoxville borough Thursday. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at the family residence at 420 Charles street, Knoxville at 2 o'clock. Mr. Sisley was a nephew of Mrs. L. R. Walters of Meadow avenue, and was well known about the Belle Vernon and Fayette City community.

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C. T. Hixenbaugh.....Spears

## March 30 in American History.

1800—The United States army trans-  
port General Lyon burned en route  
from Wilmington, N. C., to For-  
tress Monroe and 500 lives lost.  
1870—Fifteenth amendment to the  
United States constitution adopted.

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)  
Sun sets 6:22, rises 5:45; moon sets  
5:30 a. m.; planet Mercury seen setting  
after the sun.

## NO MINE STRIKE.

The prediction of the Mail yester-  
day that there would be an eleven-  
hour agreement between the bitu-  
minous coal operators and the miners,  
and that a strike would be averted,  
has come true. The compromise men-  
tioned has been accepted by both  
sides, and there will be no suspension  
except in instances where there may  
be a temporary surplus of coal mined  
and stored in anticipation of a strike.

In this agreement is seen the ben-  
eficial effects of reason and judg-  
ment is the arbitration of a dispute.  
As a matter of course, each side asked  
for more than they expected to  
get, and each has granted more than  
either expected or intended to at the  
beginning of the negotiations. How-  
ever, the compromise means not only  
an economic gain for each, but it pre-  
vents industrial and business demor-  
alization with attendant losses upon  
the whole public which must have of  
necessity reflected most heavily upon  
the working people of all classes.  
Each side by conceding points that  
were at first thought to be impossible  
has avoided a crisis, and as a result  
industry and the cause of labor will  
be advanced instead of being retard-  
ed.

## WANT SUGGESTIONS.

The Mail is in receipt of a letter  
from Assemblyman James F. Wood-  
ward, secretary of the joint com-  
mittee of the Senate and House of Rep-  
resentatives, which was appointed to  
consider and report upon the revis-  
ion of the corporation and revenue  
laws of the State. The letter states  
the object and scope of the committee  
and in order to perform their work in-  
telligently, the committee invites  
communications and suggestions from  
citizens as to what changes should  
be made, if any, and if there is any  
better method for collecting revenue  
for the State than the methods now  
employed. Mr. Woodward, the sec-  
retary of the committee, is the Repre-  
sentative of the Nineteenth or Mc-  
Keesport district of Allegheny coun-  
ty.

This is an important matter and vi-

tally concerns every citizen of the  
State. Naturally, the corporations  
of the State, which pay the bulk of  
the State taxes, and are now being  
called upon to also pay taxes to the  
National government, want a part of  
their burden shifted. If this is done  
it must go back to the people indi-  
vidually. The corporations will be  
on hand to present their side to the  
committee good and strong and it is  
up to the people to look after their  
interests. That is why suggestions  
are invited from the public, and it  
will stand every community in hand  
to look after their interests in the  
matter of proposed State taxation. If  
this is not done it is possible that  
some of the taxation now paid by the  
corporation may be shifted to the peo-  
ple.

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

Foresight is the case of where a  
woman married a doctor two days  
before she had appendicitis.

Mrs. Mary Barker G. Eddy left an  
estate valued at \$2,266,360. That is  
evidence that new religions pay.

When it comes to lambasting peo-  
ple the Colonel has everybody else in  
the race beaten to a disgraceful and  
humiliating frazzle.

The British alienist who says that  
in our anger, violent emotions and  
specialistic careers we think like lun-  
atics, does some of us credit at that.

On the stage in some of the larger  
cities they have started performing  
wordless plays. What's the matter  
with moving pictures, without effects?

It isn't hard for a man to convince  
himself that he is right when argu-  
ing. The difficult part is in convinc-  
ing the other fellow that he isn't  
misguided.

San Francisco has effectively pro-  
ved that even inventors are ordinary  
individuals and subject to temptation.  
Rudely the props are pulled out from  
a fine spun theory.

Philosopher Josh Wise says "Abe  
Lincoln didn't tell some o' them anec-  
dotes some o' th' time, he didn't any  
o' them all o' th' time, an' he didn't  
tell all o' them any time."

In case of a coal strike the season's  
latest poem might be used for fuel;  
Johnny would be delighted to burn  
his school books, or father a ton or  
so of winter fiction and a lot of the  
1912 vintage of political speeches;  
Edythe would be pleased to burn her  
winter hat while pa's briar pipes  
wouldn't stand any show at all with  
mother hunting kindling.

## PICKED UP IN PASSING

Erasmus Wilson, the "Quiet Ob-  
server" of the Pittsburgh Gazette  
Times who lectured at the First Chris-  
tian church Friday evening, spent a  
social hour or two with a company of  
citizens before the lecture, which was  
highly enjoyable to the latter. Mr.  
Wilson, who has lately been at Roch-  
ester, Minnesota, where he under-  
went a surgical operation at the fa-  
mous institution of the Mayo Brothers  
related some of his experiences there.

"That is certainly the most unique  
institution of its kind in the country,"  
said he. "The hospital there is un-  
der the charge of an order of Cath-  
olic sisters. It has 250 rooms which  
are constantly filled with a large  
waiting list. The Mayo Brothers  
have a large corps of eminent special-  
ists, and they average about 25 cap-  
ital surgical operations a day, to say  
nothing of numberless minor ones.

"A funny thing about the institu-  
tion is that they call their operating  
room their 'shop' and instead of say-  
ing a patient is operated on, they say  
he is 'fixed up.' In other words they  
send him to the shop to be fixed up."  
"And they do fix him up. When  
they get a man in the shop they look  
him all over, just as a repair man  
does a piece of old furniture, and any-  
thing wrong with him, is 'fixed up.'  
They do a thorough job and invari-  
ably send a man out fixed up as good  
as new."

"How about the charge?" Mr. Wil-  
son was asked. "Don't you have to  
pay dearly for that sort of treat-  
ment?"

"Not at all," replied the "Quiet Ob-  
server." "If they find you haven't  
much money, they'll very likely buy  
you a railroad ticket and give you  
expense money to go home with.  
Every patient invariably pays ac-  
cording to his means, and all get  
treatment alike. Each patient is

## FOR CONGRESS

Charles Matthews  
New Castle, Pa.

Subject to Decision of Republican Primary

## For Assembly

DR. JNO. B. DONALDSON  
Canonsburg, Pa.

Subject to Republican Rules  
Primaries, April 13

investigated, his financial standing,  
his income, those dependent upon  
him, and under ordinary circum-  
stances one is charged possibly a  
month's income if they think he can  
afford it."

A little girl in one of the lower  
grades of the Charleroi schools is  
very much in love with her teacher.  
At home she is constantly talking  
about Miss—, who is her ideal in  
every particular. The other day an  
uncle of the little maiden was at her  
home and in order to tease the little  
one said:

"You're going to lose your school  
teacher. I know a young man whom  
I'm going to get to come around and  
see her, and then he'll marry her,  
and you won't have her any more for  
a teacher."

This did not suit the little one ex-  
actly, and she thought it her duty to  
inform her teacher of the proceed-  
ing. So next day at school when op-  
portunity offered she held up her  
hand for recognition.

"What is it, Mary?" asked the  
teacher.

"Teacher, Uncle Jim says he's got  
a man for you," was the reply.

Wilso

## MONEY AND PLEASURE.

The art of living easily is to fix  
your scale of living one degree be-  
low your means. Guard against  
the notion that, because pleasure can  
be bought with money, money can-  
not be spent without enjoyment.  
What a thing costs is no true mea-  
sure of its worth.

## PREACHES GOSPEL OF GOODNESS

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after the North and the South had  
been reunited through the surrender  
of the army of the latter, it seemed  
as though it should have been given  
the immortal emancipator to live and  
solidify the union. But at that time  
was required a new hand, and a  
strong hand. Such was the Divine  
graciousness that it was provided in  
Grant. Still it took Garfield's death  
to unite the north and south insepar-  
ably.

At the time of McKinley's death  
anarchy was being preached through-  
out the country. Man could not stop  
the oncoming destruction but an in-  
finite God could and did, by McKin-  
ley's death. The after effects of his  
murder was such as to effectually  
stop all talk of anarchy. Since that  
day there has not been an anarchistic  
speech made in any of the larger  
cities or the smaller towns.

"McKinley died that the country  
might live, in the same sense that  
the Savior died that men might live."  
So the lecturer declared.  
—Before his lecture Mr. Wilson was  
entertained by the Community club  
at luncheon. This is an organiza-  
tion in which he is particularly in-  
terested and is in reality one of its  
founders. He was unanimously elect-  
ed an honorary member. Four  
guests from Monongahela were also  
present, Joseph A. Herron, Alderman  
A. R. Day, W. T. Gregg, and M. S.  
Warne. Women of the Christian  
church served the luncheon.

Mr. Wilson lectured under the aus-  
pices of the Barrocca class of the  
First Christian church. Preliminary  
to his address a short musical pro-  
gram was carried out. Solos were  
sung by Warren Kinder, Miss Geor-  
gene Parsons and Rev. E. N. Duty.

## Bowl at Uniontown.

A party of Charleroi bowlers went  
to Uniontown Friday night where  
they bowled crack bowlers from that  
place. In the party were Willie  
Kuhn, and Willis Briggs who rolled  
in singles against the Uniontown  
bowlers, Woodward, Newton Irose  
and Osborne.

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Desiree Binger.  
Letters of administration c. t. a  
in the estate of Desiree Binger, late  
of the Borough of Charleroi, Wa-  
shington county, Pennsylvania, hav-  
ing been granted to the undersigned, all  
persons indebted to the said estate  
are requested to make payment, and  
those having claims to present the  
same without delay to  
Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.,  
Administrator c. t. a.  
Charleroi, Pa.  
David M. McCloskey, Attorney.  
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## Join Our Christmas Savings Club

Starts Week of April 1st.

In Class 1, pay 1c the 1st week, 2c the 2d week, 3c the 3d  
week, 4c the 4th week, 5c the 5th week, 6c the 6th  
week, and so on for 36 weeks, and two weeks before  
Christmas we will mail you a check for \$6.66 with in-  
terest at 3 per cent.

Or in Class 2, pay 2c the 1st week, 4c the 2d week, 6c the 3d  
week, and so on and we will mail you a check two  
weeks before Christmas for \$13.32 with interest at 3  
per cent.

Or in Class 5, pay 5c the 1st week, 10c the 2d week, 15c the 3d  
week, and so on, and we will mail you a check two  
weeks before Christmas for \$33.30 with interest at 3  
per cent.

Payments Must Be Made Every Week,  
or May Be Made in Advance.

Can you think of an easier way to provide money for Christ-  
mas presents?  
Join yourself—get everyone in the family to join. Show this  
to your friends and get them to join.

Everybody is Welcome to Join

The Christmas Savings Club opens Monday, April 1st, and  
will remain open for enlisting depositors for two weeks only.  
Call and let us tell you about our plan.

## Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.

Charleroi, Pa.

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those in need of financial assistance. Because of our  
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business is growing rapidly.

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## Among the Theatres

### THE PALACE—CHARLEROI

Different forms of coasting were shown in startling contrast in the Pathe Weekly at the Palace Theatre this week. One was in the icy confines of the snow-bound Alps in Switzerland, where merry coasters on sleds flew down the snowy steep. The other coasters, equally merry, were in tropical China, and they slid down an inclined water way on banana leaves into a pool below. In southern and western States, in Europe and elsewhere the Bulletin took the spectators, showing them big features which have made world-comment. Strong photoplays were "Out of the Depths," "A Christmas Santa Claus," "The Two Penitents," "Poisoned Arrows," and a "Dress Suit in Pawn." Donald J. Garrison's repertoire of illustrated songs contained the beautiful song "Emmalina" which was accompanied by some of the most beautiful slides ever presented. Mr. Garrison's singing together with the most excellent orchestra, are not the least of the attractions of the Palace. All the tragedy and humor of the drama was strongly portrayed throughout the week.

### THE COYLE—CHARLEROI

"Falling Leaves" and the beautiful story of "Kathleen Mavourneen," were among the motion picture plays of more than ordinary merit at the Coyle Theatre this week. "Falling Leaves," was the story of a beautiful girl who was a victim of the Great White Plague. She is told by her physician that when the leaves all fall her spirit will have entered the mystic portal. Her little sister hearing of this, goes out into the garden and ties some of the fallen leaves to the branches, in order to stay the Rider of the Pale Horse. A young physician who has discovered a serum that stays the ravages of tuberculosis, happens along, and the story has the usually happy ending. "The Poacher," and "Arresting Father" were strong tragic and humorous photoplays. Gaumont's Weekly showed the ladies the latest Paris fashions in gowns, as well as a big repertoire of leading international events. The big feature of the week, however, was the two reel film of Charles Dickens' masterpiece, "Nicholas Nickleby," which was produced to crowded houses Thursday.

### THE STAR—CHARLEROI

Following the big features at the opening of the week at the Star Theatre—"Through the Flames" and Rider Haggard's masterpiece "She,"—were other strong and thrilling photoplays. Among these were "A Modern Highwayman," "The Gambler's Daughter" and "The Indian Massacre." There was of course a new change of three reels every day—matinee and

night—in which was a varied repertoire of romance, humor, tragedy, educational and other novel features. There was not a dull moment during the entire week and Manager Cowan always has some big features on the string which are secured at the earliest opportunity.

### THE ALVIN—PITTSBURG

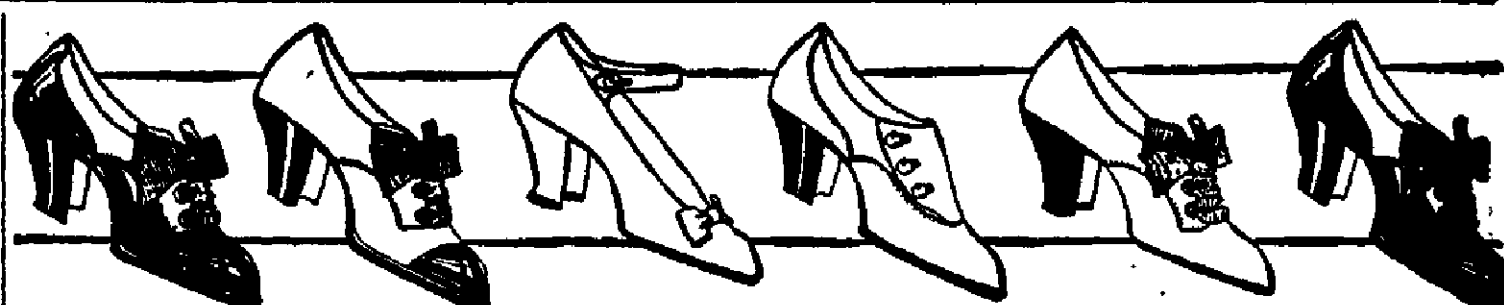
A gorgeous glittering galaxy of sirens the most notable ever seen in America, off Broadway, are gathered together in Lew Fields' luminous Jollie Follie, "Hanky Panky," which will be seen at the Alvin Theatre, Pittsburgh, for one week Monday, April 1, after 200 consecutive nights in Chicago.

Among the stars in the two-act dazzle is Max Rogers, surviving member of the famous Rogers Brothers, whose comedy vogue was paralleled only by Weber & Fields themselves at the time of Gus Rogers' sudden death; Carter De Haven, the "Fashion Plate" dancer, the suave player and subtle comedian, whose fame is international; "Bobby" North a regular Websterfieldian comedian who within four years has starred in Zeigfeld's "Follies," headlined in vaudeville and appeared as the leading delineator in a Frohman Broadway play; Florence Moore, who with her partner, Wm. Montgomery, became the talk of Broadway over night, with absolutely new and sensational conceptions of modern comedy—in one week their salary rose from \$50 to \$900; Harry Cooper, last year co-star with Mlle. Trentini in "Naughty Marietta"; Flora Parker, a coubrette, who during her infrequent theatrical appearances has been perhaps the most courted woman who ever trod the boards; Myrtle Gilbert and Lillian Lewis, graduates of the Broadway chorus whose metropolitan attributes have made them the toast of Broadway; Hugh Cameron, a character actor of unique comedy approach, stentorian lungs and effectively legitimate methods who has played important roles on both sides of the Atlantic.

The chorus, consisting of fifty selected young women of tried New York calibre, was the sensation of Chicago and created more comment and discussion in that city than any other single group in its history.

### THE GRAND—PITTSBURG

Another of those merrily diversified and thoroughly high class vaudeville programs, for which the Grand has earned a national reputation is being prepared by Manager Harry Davis for the delectation of his patrons next week. Interest will be focused largely upon Dorothy Russell, the beautiful daughter of the famous American Beauty, Lillian Russell. Miss Russell is a vaudeville debutante. Her first appearance took place at Ham-



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merstein's in New York, last week, on which occasion she presented A Musical Melange. Four gifted young men support the star in a potpourri of specialties original and unique. At the rise of the curtain two of the young men are discovered playing pianos on opposite sides of the stage. She sings to one and then to the other. She has an attractive flirtation ditty entitled "That's the Man that I Could Love." It is followed by a takeoff upon the rag-time mother who lulls her infant to Slumberland to the siren melody of syncopated time. The violinist is now introduced, and he is "some violinist." Miss Russell sings "Create" a caricature of the famous bandmaster and then introduces "The Trolley Car Glide," a satire upon the modern woman's actions when riding in a street car. This is a very enlivening number and shows Miss Russell's abilities as a comedienne.

Max Witt's Melody Lane Girls, consisting of Melanie Miller, Eleanor Elliott, Adlyn Estes, and Laura Baer, will sing a variety of tuneful songs. Another interesting feature of the program will be supplied by Will Rogers the famous cowboy lariat thrower and monologist.

Those are only a few of many brilliant numbers which will make the Grand's program for the forthcoming week one of unalloyed pleasure.

### PITTSBURG SUNDAY! POST'S NEW SERIAL MAKES SENSATION

"The Lost World," Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's masterpiece and his most recent work, began as a serial in the magazine of the Pittsburgh Sunday Post last Sunday, March 24th, and already it has created a sensation among all readers of fiction. In many respects it surpasses even his tales of the famous and fascinating Sherlock Holmes. Conan Doyle in this novel is even more clever than in his earlier works.

"The Lost World" is a tale of weird adventure and shows from the opening paragraphs the power of the author's ripened genius, especially in the characters that he portrays. Conan Doyle surpasses all his previous brilliancy in this story. Prof. Challenger, the principal character, probably is destined to rank as a literary creation with Sherlock Holmes. As depicted, the professor has the same magnetic and attractive personality as the great detective, though there is no other point of simplicity in the two characters. Moreover Challenger appeals to the reader because he is not so superhuman as Sherlock Holmes.

It is apparent now that the success of "The Lost World" will exceed even that of Conan Doyle's "Sir Nigel," one of the greatest serials ever written, that appeared several years ago in The Magazine of the Pittsburgh Sunday Post. For "Sir Nigel" the author was paid \$25,000 for the American serial rights alone. The rate per word paid him for "The Lost World" is even higher than for "Sir Nigel."

If you overlooked ordering or buying The Pittsburgh Sunday Post last Sunday you have still an opportunity to read this remarkable serial. Your dealer will supply you free with a reprint copy of the first installment published in The Pittsburgh Sunday Post last Sunday. Or you can write

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No story of the century will attract more attention or be talked about more, it is probable, than "The Lost World." This opportunity given you to start it after it has begun to create a literary furor should not be overlooked, so order The Pittsburgh Sunday Post for next Sunday without fail.

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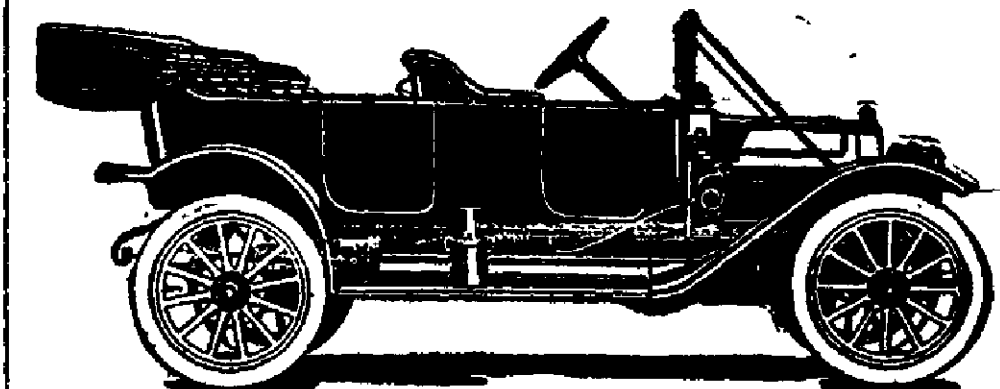
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and miners set out in pursuit. District Attorney R. G. Miller was notified of the killing by telephone and called County Detective William G. McCleary on the case. He will direct

the work of the first posse and probably will organize another. According to the miners who were in the same room where Bartmelo was killed the two men had engaged in a verbal quarrel, presumably over Patrick's attention to the dead man's wife. When the quarrel was at its height, Bartmelo turned back to his work as if anxious to end the spat, when Patrick is said to have whipped out his revolver and fired three shots into the stooping man's back.

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**First Christian**  
Bible school at 9:45. Lords supper and preaching at 11. Evening worship at 7:30. Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:30. Morning subject, "Safety of Children." This message is preparatory to Decision Day service, Easter Sunday. Evening subject, "The Conversion of the First Gentile." This is the fifth sermon in a series of seven on "Conversion." Evangelical services with special gospel music. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. All are welcome. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

**Episcopal**  
Corner of Lookout and Sixth. Palm Sunday. Early celebration of the holy communion at 8. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject of discourse, "Behold Your King." Evening services and Lenten lecture at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "Church History." This will be the last of the series of lectures for this Lenten season. Holy Week services. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday altar services at 10:30 each morning. Thursday, Maundy service, celebration of the holy communion at 8. Good Friday, morning prayer, litany, penitential office and address at 10:30. Evening prayer will be said Good Friday afternoon at 4. Saturday, Easter eve the Sacrament of Holy baptism will be administered in the church at 4. All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

**Baptist**  
Bible School at 9:45, S. R. Hawkins, superintendent. Worship with sermon by the pastor at 11. Subject, "Looking Unto Jesus." Young Peoples meeting at 6:30. Monday evening at 7:30 a series of meetings will be started. Rev. D. L. Schultz, will do the preaching. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good." Rev. E. G. Stanley, pastor.

**First Methodist**  
Corner of Sixth and Lincoln avenue. Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship at 10:45. Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League devotional meeting, led by Mrs. F. A. Richards and Miss Phyllis Murray, subject, "The Epworth League in Foreign Lands," at 6:30. Evangelistic service at 7:30. Evangelistic services each evening during the week. Everybody welcome. Next Sunday, Easter, is Rally Day in the Sunday school. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

**Washington Avenue Presbyterian**  
Sabbath School at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "Palms of Victory." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Topic, "At Jacob's Well." Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Foreign Missions of My Denomination." Leader, Mrs. Henderson. Evening preaching hour at 7:30. Sermon, "The Obstructed Way." Strangers welcome. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

**Lutheran**  
Palm Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11 o'clock. Subject for sermon, "The Triumphal Entry." Luther League at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon "Pilate's Question."

**First Presbyterian**  
Sunday school at 9:45. Church at

11. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:30. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:45. Evening services at 7:30. This will be closing of the church fiscal year. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

**St. James A. M. E.**  
Washington avenue. Quarterly meeting. Love feast and general class meeting led by the pastor at 11. Sunday school and adult Bible class at 2. Holy communion at 3. Sermon by Rev. A. G. Thomas of the Monessen A. M. E. church. The Monessen choir will sing for the occasion. D. R. Scott, is chorister. Allen Endeavor League, led by Miss Mabel J. Webster, at 6:30. Topic, "The Foreign Missions of My Denomination." Preaching by the presiding elder at 7:45. All are welcome to these services. Rev. L. V. Jones, pastor.

## SURPRISE GIVEN FOR MISS MARY WELSH

An enjoyable surprise party was given Friday evening in honor of the twelfth birthday of Miss Mary Welch, at the home of her parents on Lookout avenue. Thirty-two of her little friends, composing members of her Sunday School and their friends formed the gathering. The evening was pleasantly spent with games and other diversions. Lunch consisting of cake and ice cream was served.

## ENTERTAINS CHURCH YOUNG LADIES CIRCLE

Misses Eleanor Wycoff and Marguerite Whitlatch entertained the Young Ladies Circle of the Washington Avenue church Thursday evening at the home of the former on Washington avenue. After the routine of business was gone through, Misses Minnie Elliott and Estelle Bandoux gave readings. "India Workings" was discussed. Diversions were games and music. At the close of the evening light refreshments were served.

## STREETS PUT IN SPIC AND SPAN APPEARANCE

Street Commissioner Jacob Hornell who can look at a street and tell more about it and what is wrong with it than any two men in town, started his spring cleaning work on Friday afternoon. He had the street force busily engaged in washing the bricks, using the fire hose to do it. Today the main streets present a beautiful spic and span appearance.

**Engagement Announced.**  
Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Madeline Sweeney, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gillford B. Sweeney of Pittsburgh to Rev. J. Lane Miller, pastor of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church, of Pittsburgh. Miss Sweeney has relatives in Charleroi.

**Team Has New Coach.**  
The Lutheran baseball team has a new coach who will meet with the team for the first time next Tuesday night at the church when the various matters of organization will be discussed.

## GIVES REASONS FOR OLD SITE

**Disinterested Expert States Why Brownsville Bridge Location Should be Same**

Several prominent business men of Brownsville who might approximately be termed, non-factionists, secured the services of a non-resident and disinterested engineer to make a report upon the local bridge situation. Following is the report which John Ross, of Morgantown, a civil engineer of recognized standing submitted:

In the interest of the taxpayers of the counties of Fayette and Washington and in particular in the interests of the citizens of Brownsville, South Brownsville and West Brownsville, after examination of available plans and personal investigation of proposed sites, for a new structure to replace the bridge lately removed, across the Monongahela at Brownsville, I wish to report what in my opinion is the most suitable location. The site of the former bridge is the most feasible one for the location of the proposed new structure, considering:

1. With relation to established business of the counties and towns.
2. Cost of sub-structure, bridge and approaches.
3. Beauty of structure.
4. Damages.

By way of explanation I append the following:  
1. "With relation to established business of the counties and towns." This site was established in 1833 as a private business enterprise and as such has been a success. With the location the bridge has answered all the requirements of the National Pike and in so doing the needs of the State and counties. The three towns are of further growth.

Business centres in the three towns have been determined by this location. The railroads have located their passenger and freight stations on the assumption that present travel and traffic conditions continue. Travel and traffic cannot be so well accommodated by any other location. Incoming and outgoing travel and traffic enter and leave the three towns with great facility under present arrangements. These could not otherwise be served with equal ease and with the same mutual advantage to travel and residents.

Business and residence values in the three towns are good and have been established by the present line of travel between the counties and towns. I therefore conclude that the location of the former bridge was based on good business judgment since it has admirably served the State, counties and towns from 1833 to and including the present.

## LOCAL MENTION

Mr and Mrs. L. R. Walters are in Pittsburgh today attending the funeral of John M. Sisley, who died Thursday morning.

Mrs. David Province of West Brownsville is spending the day with her mother, Mrs. Richard Majors.

Misses Elsie and Edith Crill went to Homestead this morning where the latter will participate in an eisteddfod tonight.

Miss Zella Franks went to Pittsburgh today with her sister who is re-

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turning to her home in Clyde, Ohio, after a week's visit here.

Don Allen attended a show in Pittsburgh Friday evening.

Miss Nancy Frye has left for Warren where she has accepted a position as milliner.

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OF CANONSBURG

After doing some canvassing in the county I have made up my mind that this is no year to even attempt a "straddle" on any question. The people are asking questions and will not be put off. The only crime I am charged with is that I have not always voted straight. What a lot of criminals there must be in Washington county, and there is going to be more I fear, if things are not changed.

In submitting my name as a Progressive Republican candidate I have been asked what I consider a Progressive Republican. Above all he is against boss rule. He is against all kinds of secret conferences and political scheming. He favors the open primary that all the people may voice their preference on every party nominee. He is neither a populist nor populist, but he is for a government where the people rule, not only in name but in fact.

The Republican party in Washington county has enough such voters in it to do this if they will but turn out and vote and well do the bosses know this.

The Progressive has come to stay, and if he does not win this year, will be found on the job next year, or until better political conditions exist, and the political boss is eliminated.

To such along with those who believe we should have local option and are especially interested in that subject, I submit my candidacy. I will be pleased to answer any questions submitted by those interested, by mail, telephone or personally.



# THE CHARLEROI MAIL

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One Cent

## AVERT COAL STRIKE BY FIVE PER CENT ADVANCE

Settlement Reached at Cleveland by Miners and Operators

PREDICTIONS VERIFIED

Agreements Made Exactly as Foretold in Mail--Short Suspension to Come

That the Mail had the correct "dope" on the mining situation yesterday is verified by the peace pact which came at the eleventh hour in the negotiations between the operators and miners' representatives in the conference at Cleveland as predicted. Peace by agreement was declared by an acceptance of the five per cent advance proposition for the miners in the bituminous field and there will be no strike. A short suspension is expected to follow to permit the operators and miners of the different States to settle their internal differences, but according to the agreement made in the joint conference, no change in present conditions will be made that will increase the cost of mining over the agreement reached in Cleveland or keep the miners from earning as much as they can.

By the agreement the miners will receive an increase of 5 cent a ton on screened coal, three cents for mine run, five and five-tenths per cent for day labor and dead work, and five hours work on Saturday with five hours pay. All other demands are waived.

The settlement of the peace terms is credited to the work of the Illinois operators and miners. H. M. Taylor of the operators proved himself as great a general as the late Francis R. Robbins of Pittsburg in his best days. On the side of the miners John H. Walker is given the credit of securing the advance. The operators were out-generaled. The operators of the states not represented will accept the settlement without question. There will be a suspension in the bituminous fields in all states except Missouri, Kansas, Arkansas, Texas and Oklahoma, where the miners have an agreement to work, pending negotiations for a contract. About 350,000 men are benefitted.

President Francis Feehan of the Western Pennsylvania miners showed the greatest opposition to the settlement. He wanted to force the mine-run system of paying wages on the operators of his state. So did President Moore of Ohio. They were finally convinced that in the interests of peace they should withdraw their demands.

Immediately after the bituminous scale was settled an order was issued by the anthracite committee that the 173,000 miners in those fields suspend work April 1. It can be authoritatively stated however that negotiations will begin within a week for a settlement in the anthracite field.

Strong Photoplay at the Coyle.

Manager R. S. Coyle announces a strong photoplay for the Coyle Monday night. This is Mildred Holland, the noted emotional actress in "The Power Behind the Throne." The film is in two reels, and is a splendid presentation of this great masterpiece.

## Officers Are Named

Athene Club Fills Chairs for Ensuing Year--Will Study Inventors

At the meeting of the Athene Club Friday afternoon officers were elected for the ensuing year, and the subject chosen for the next year's study. Officers elected were: President, Mrs. T. M. Faddis, first vice president, Miss Elizabeth Hastings; second vice president, Mrs. Thomas Brown; corresponding secretary, Mrs. J. Clive Enos; recording secretary, Mrs. Earl E. Piper; treasurer, Mrs. A. O. Davis. The subject selected for study was "Eminent Inventors and Scientists." Mrs. A. O. Davis was the hostess. The discussion of "Women's Influence in Education" was taken up. Miss Elizabeth Hastings spoke of "Mary Lyon, Founder of Mt. Holyoke College."

## MINE IS SCENE OF TRAGEDY

Miners Quarrel Deep in Workings and One is Fatally Shot

AGGRESSOR GETS AWAY

More than a mile underground at the Armide mine of the J. H. Sanford Coal company, at Racoon, near Burgettstown, Philip Patrick, aged 25, an Italian miner, shot and killed Louis Bartmelo, his boarding boss, by firing three revolver bullets into his back. He then held a crowd of fellow miners at bay, leaped upon a motor truck, pressed the revolver to the driver's side, and compelled him to rush the car at full speed to the mouth of the mine. There he forced the truck driver to turn back, and while only the miners in the underground room where the tragedy occurred were aware of the tragedy, he went to his boarding house, changed his clothes and made off across the hills in the direction of Cherry Valley and McDonald.

The shooting occurred about 8:30 o'clock Friday morning and it was more than half an hour afterward before one of the cowed Italian miners appeared on the surface and notified the coal company officials. A search immediately was made for Patrick, and when it was found that he had fled a posse of coal company officials

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SATURDAY NIGHT

DANCING SCHOOL

Class for beginners at 7 to 8. Night's Auditorium. Social Dance 8 o'clock. The new Polka will be taught and danced. Wheeler. 199-1

## OVER NINE HUNDRED VISIT THE SCHOOLS

Patron's Day Attracts Large Number--Written and Drawing Work Done by Pupils an Interesting Feature

Picturesque displays of drawings, and written work in all the rooms, paper cut figures in the lower grades exhibiting the kindergarten method of teaching, with tasteful building and room decorations lent a brilliant effect to the annual Patron's Day exhibition in the schools Friday afternoon and evening. In addition to the exhibitions of work scattered throughout every room in all the four schools pleasing programs were carried out for the entertainment of the visitors. It is estimated that in all over 900 persons registered.

In the lower grades the most noticeable product of the children were the paper figures. Their drawing and written work were also features. In the intermediate grades a surprising ability was shown by the pupils

in the preparation of their drawings and written work, which covered the blackboards. In the higher grades, drawings and written work featured the same as on the intermediate grades. In High School rooms there was not any very great attempt made at decoration, but maps and various kinds of drawings including precise geometrical figures attracted much attention.

All the buildings were open in the evening from 7 o'clock until 8:30. During that period at the Crest avenue and Fifth street buildings special musical programs were rendered. One feature during the afternoon at Ninth street was a fire drill. At Second street there was a constant stream of visitors through the various rooms. Every visitor to the different buildings was registered.

## MONUMENT BALL CHANGES QUEERLY

Fallowfield Residents Notice Phenomena at Old Nelson Burying Ground

MYSTERY AS TO CAUSE

Those who travel the public road passing by the cemetery of the Crow church in Fallowfield township have witnessed what they term a phenomenon in the appearance of the Nelson monument, says a writer in the Washington Record. In the Crow church burying ground one of the oldest in that neighborhood is located a red granite monument erected to the memory of John Nelson for years one of the prominent residents of this end of the county and a pioneer in his day. This monument which occupies an advantageous position in the burying ground has been pointed out to strangers and others in this neighborhood and all when told its story stand in utter amazement at its complete transformation, that is, of its top or ball portion.

This monument was erected about eight years ago and consists of a square base with an oblong piece of granite on the top. The work in building the foundation was carefully done and when the ball was placed in its resting place everything was plumb and the base of the monument to this day is still plumb but the granite has turned one-half around in its socket or almost that distance. Just how this ball was turned around can not be conjectured but there are many living in the vicinity of the burying ground itself who stoutly maintain that once during a great electric storm a peal of thunder rolled its reverberating sound across this section and after the storm and the shaking of the earth, as it were, this ball stood out of proportion with the rest of the monument and upon examination it was found that it had been jarred in some way or other almost one-half way around from its first resting place. The height of the monument and the weight of the granite piece itself would preclude the theory that it was the hand of man. No one believes here that such a thing could have happened.

The superstitious who believe in tokens and signs say that the turning of the ball is only a fulfillment of a prophecy made many years ago and manifested in a token that the day would come to pass that the "ball of the monument itself would show displeasure by turning its face from the motley throng." The face which fronted on the public road has turned away and now these believers in superstition stoutly maintain that the prophecy has come to pass. Just why the prophecy was made is not known nor can any of these people explain but they all say: "We were told the substance of the prophecy many years ago."

When you are out of coal call up Wise, Charleroi phone 213A. 194-400

## MUST PAY FEE TO POST CARDS

Burgess Reamer Makes Ruling at Monessen for Benefit of Candidates

WILL COST EACH \$5.00

If candidates for office wish to post Monessen with bills announcing the fact that they are candidates, they will have to pay \$5 for the privilege. Burgess Reamer has so declared. He has recently stated that he would just a little rather not have position and bills scattered about the town, but if candidates insist they must pay the license fee. After all but the handful of office seekers have been sent back to the mine or wherever they sprouted from, more or less gloriously defeated, the cards will be torn down and the said candidates assessed the cost. If there is anything left out of the \$5 by that time it will be refunded. Mr. Reamer says there will be a difference made in the size of the card or the apparent intelligence of the person whose picture it bears.

## LABOR EVANGELIST TO HOLD MEETINGS

Beginning on Monday, Rev. D. L. Schultz, the labor evangelist of the Pittsburgh Baptist Association, will start a series of evangelistic meetings at the First Baptist church on Washington avenue. Rev. Schultz was formerly a pastor of a Pittsburgh church of the Baptist denomination. He is one of the best known men in the association. For several months he has been engaged in the work among laboring men, and has found remarkable success in this field. He is in constant demand to make addresses at Union Labor conventions through all parts of the country. He is well versed in the subject, having spent considerable time in strike zones studying conditions. Rev. Schultz was to have spoke at a recent meeting here for strikers at Lawrence, Mass., but was unable to come. He will have a blind gospel singer to assist him during a part of the meetings.

## To Observe Palm Sunday

The anniversary of Christ's entry into Jerusalem or "Palm Sunday," as it is more commonly known, will be appropriately observed in all Catholic and some Protestant churches throughout the town Sunday. At St. Jerome's Catholic church the Palm Sunday services will be most elaborate. The passion will be read and palm branches distributed among members.

## LOCAL MILL INSPECTED BY CLEVELAND STUDENTS

Let Contract For Ballots

Big Printing Job for Primary Election Comes to Monongahela Valley

Joe T. S. Cowan of the Roscoe Ledger, Roscoe has been awarded the contract for the printing of the primary ballots for the coming primaries. His bid was \$750 for printing 83,304 ballots.

Bids were submitted previously by three of the Washington job rooms, and after the bids had been opened and made public the commissioners reconsidered their action in awarding the contract and recalled the award. Bids were again asked for, and as a result several other firms submitted bids. The bids of the different printers were as follows: Ward Printing Co., \$1,195; Observer Job Rooms, \$1,435; Record Co., \$1,310; Monongahela Times, \$778; Roscoe Ledger, \$750 and Wm. G. Johnston, \$975.

## PREACHES GOSPEL OF GOODNESS

Erasmus Wilson Presents Subject in New Light by Lecture

REASON THINGS HAPPEN

Preaching the old Quaker philosophy that whatever is, is right, and that it is up to man to keep it so, Erasmus Wilson, the noted "Quiet Observer" of the Pittsburg Gazette Times entertained a fair-sized audience at First Christian church Friday evening by his lecture "The Eternal Fitness of Things." His address was inspiring and a practical treatise of a difficult subject to understand.

He said that man was made for the world and not the world for man. Consequently the world and everything in it, the handiwork of God, was perfect at the time of its making. Man was perfect. If since the time of his creation man has degenerated, it is his fault and not that of his Maker. Declaring his supreme belief in the gospel of goodness, Mr. Wilson affirmed his belief in a loving God and not a God to be feared, and that the world and the people in it are growing better all the time.

The lecturer asserted his profound belief in compensation. That no event occurs but what there is a cause, he said, was his firmest conviction. If there is sufficient demand for a new kind of bug or a new kind of animal, it will be provided.

At the time of Lincoln's death,

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Finish up Southern Trip by Visit to Charleroi Factory

STUDYING ELECTRICITY

Class of Sixteen With Professor Tour Plants in Various Southern Cities

Conducting a tour through a part of the south and to the Pittsburg district, the senior electric class of the Case School of Applied Science, of Cleveland, Ohio, visited Charleroi Friday night and today, and viewed the process of glassmaking at the Macbeth-Evans Glass plant. Sixteen students composed the party, which is headed by H. B. Dates, professor of electrical engineering.

The class came here from Pittsburg, where on Friday they went through the Westinghouse Electrical plant. They came there from Washington, D. C., where they visited various government plants. They viewed plants in Cincinnati, Ohio, Chattanooga, Tenn., Atlanta, Ga., Charlotte, N. C., Washington and Pittsburg.

At the Macbeth-Evans Glass plant attention was paid to the manufacture of shades, reflectors and several kinds of blown glass. Last year the senior electrical class visited here.

In the party this year are the following: D. C. Herrick, F. E. Brooks, J. J. Kojan, T. H. Fonda, C. M. Bosworth, C. B. Thorne, R. F. Kaighin, D. C. Meyer, S. H. Clemmer, C. L. Wubker, J. H. Deutch, J. Freeman, M. M. Rosenblatt, A. H. Newton, C. J. Maloney, H. C. Branch and Prof. Dates. Accompanying the party was L. L. Hopkins of the Macbeth-Evans Glass company. He guided the party through the plant.

## Makes Model of Aeroplane

Among the finest displays of work of pupils of the schools on exhibition Patron's Day on Friday were two small model aeroplanes, the handiwork of Earl Coulter the son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coulter of Prospect avenue. One of the aerial crafts is a Blériot model monoplane. The other is a Wright-Curtiss biplane. Both are constructed of wood, with all the necessary attachments of larger aeroplanes. They are about three feet long. Moving, moveable rudders and forward planes the lad is able to fly them as gliders. He is planning the construction of a "glider" on a large scale this summer. Earl is a pupil of Miss Ida Huggs, in the Eighth grade.

Well Known in Valley.

John M. Sisley, died at his home at Knoxville borough Thursday. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at the family residence at 420 Charles street, Knoxville at 2 o'clock. Mr. Sisley was a nephew of Mrs. L. R. Walters of Meadow avenue, and was well known about the Belle Vernon and Fayette City community.

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## March 30 in American History.

1865—The United States army trans-  
port General Lyon burned en route  
from Wilmington, N. C., to For-  
tress Monroe and 500 lives lost  
1870—Fifteenth amendment to the  
United States constitution adopted

## ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow)  
Sun sets 6:22, rises 5:45; moon sets  
5:20 a. m.; planet Mercury seen setting  
after the sun

## NO MINE STRIKE.

The prediction of the Mail yester-  
day that there would be an eleventh  
hour agreement between the bitu-  
minous coal operators and the miners,  
and that a strike would be averted,  
has come true. The compromise men-  
tioned has been accepted by both  
sides, and there will be no suspension  
except in instances where there may  
be a temporary surplus of coal mined  
and stored in anticipation of a strike

In this agreement is seen the bene-  
ficial effects of reason and judg-  
ment is the arbitration of a dispute.  
As a matter of course, each side asked  
for more than they expected to get,  
and each has granted more than  
either expected or intended to at the  
beginning of the negotiations. How-  
ever, the compromise means not only  
an economic gain for each, but it pre-  
vents industrial and business demor-  
alization with attendant losses upon  
the whole public which must have of  
necessity reflected most heavily upon  
the working people of all classes.  
Each side by conceding points that  
were at first thought to be impossible  
has avoided a crisis, and as a result  
industry and the cause of labor will  
be advanced instead of being retard-  
ed.

## WANT SUGGESTIONS.

The Mail is in receipt of a letter  
from Assemblyman James F. Wood-  
ward, secretary of the joint commit-  
tee of the Senate and House of Rep-  
resentatives, which was appointed to  
consider and report upon the revis-  
ion of the corporation and revenue  
laws of the State. The letter states  
the object and scope of the committee  
and in order to perform their work in-  
vincibly, the committee invites  
communications and suggestions from  
citizens as to what changes should  
be made, if any, and if there is any  
better method for collecting revenue  
for the State than the methods now  
employed. Mr. Woodward, the sec-  
retary of the committee, is the Repre-  
sentative of the Nineteenth or Mc-  
Keesport district of Allegheny coun-  
ty.

This is an important matter and vi-

tally concerns every citizen of the  
State. Naturally, the corporations of  
the State, which pay the bulk of the  
State taxes, and are now being  
called upon to also pay taxes to the  
National government, want a part of  
their burden shifted. If this is done  
it must go back to the people indi-  
vidually. The corporations will be  
on hand to present their side to the  
committee good and strong and it is  
up to the people to look after their  
interests. That is why suggestions  
are invited from the public, and it  
will stand every community in hand  
to look after their interests in the  
matter of proposed State taxation. If  
this is not done it is possible that  
some of the taxation now paid by the  
corporation may be shifted to the peo-  
ple.

## ELECTRIC SPARKS

Foresight is the case of where a  
woman married a doctor two days  
before she had appendicitis.

Mrs. Mary Barker G. Eddy left an  
estate valued at \$2,266,360. That is  
evidence that new religions pay.

When it comes to lambasting peo-  
ple the Colonel has everybody else in  
the race beaten to a disgraceful and  
humiliating fizzle

The British alienist who says that  
in our anger, violent emotions and  
specialistic careers we think like lun-  
atics, does some of us credit at that.

On the stage in some of the larger  
cities they have started performing  
wordless plays. What's the matter  
with moving pictures, without effects?

It isn't hard for a man to convince  
himself that he is right when argu-  
ing. The difficult part is in convinc-  
ing the other fellow that he isn't  
misguided.

San Francisco has effectively prov-  
ed that even inventors are ordinary  
individuals and subject to temptation.  
Rudely the props are pulled out from  
a fine spun theory.

Philosopher Josh Wise says "Abe  
Lincoln didn't tell some o' them anec-  
dotes some o' th' time, he didn't any  
o' them all o' th' time, an' he didn't  
tell all o' them any time"

In case of a coal strike the season's  
latest poem might be used for fuel;  
Johnny would be delighted to burn  
his school books, or father a ton or  
so of winter fiction and a lot of the  
1912 vintage of political speeches;  
Eddie would be pleased to burn her  
winter hat while pa's briar pipes  
wouldn't stand any show at all with  
mother hunting kindling.

## PICKED UP IN PASSING

Erasmus Wilson, the "Quiet Ob-  
server" of the Pittsburgh Gazette-  
Times who lectured at the First Chris-  
tian church-Friday-evening, spent a  
social hour or two with a company of  
citizens before the lecture, which was  
highly enjoyable to the latter. Mr.  
Wilson, who has lately been at Roches-  
ter, Minnesota, where he under-  
went a surgical operation at the fa-  
mous institution of the Mayo Brothers  
related some of his experiences there.  
"That is certainly the most unique  
institution of its kind in the country,"  
said he. "The hospital there is under  
the charge of an order of Catho-  
lic sisters. It has 250 rooms which  
are constantly filled with a large  
waiting list. The Mayo Brothers  
have a large corps of eminent special-  
ists, and they average about 25 cap-  
ital surgical operations a day, to say  
nothing of numberless minor ones.

"A funny thing about the instita-  
tion is that they call their operating  
room their 'shop' and instead of say-  
ing a patient is operated on, they say  
he is 'fixed up' In other words they  
send him to the shop to be fixed up.  
"And they do fix him up. When  
they get a man in the shop they look  
him all over, just as a repair man  
does a piece of old furniture, and any-  
thing wrong with him, is 'fixed up'.  
They do a thorough job and invari-  
ably send a man out fixed up as good  
as new."  
"How about the charge?" Mr Wil-  
son was asked. "Don't you have to  
pay dearly for that sort of treat-  
ment?"  
"Not at all," replied the "Quiet Ob-  
server." "If they find you haven't  
much money, they'll very likely buy  
you a funeral home and give you  
expense money to go home with.  
Every patient invariably pays ac-  
cording to his means, and all get  
treatment alike. Each patient is

## FOR CONGRESS

**Charles Matthews**  
New Castle, Pa.

Subject to Decision of Republican Primary

## For Assembly

**DR.-JNO. B. DONALDSON**  
Canonsburg, Pa.

Subject to Republican Rules  
Primaries, April 13

investigated, his financial standing,  
his income, those dependent upon  
him, and under ordinary circum-  
stances one is charged possibly a  
month's income if they think he can  
afford it."

A little girl in one of the lower  
grades of the Charleroi schools is  
very much in love with her teacher.  
At home she is constantly talking  
about Miss—, who is her ideal in  
every particular. The other day an  
uncle of the little maiden was at her  
home and in order to tease the little  
one said:

"You're going to lose your school  
teacher. I know a young man whom  
I'm going to get to come around and  
see her, and then he'll marry her,  
and you won't have her any more for  
a teacher"

This did not suit the little one ex-  
actly, and she thought it her duty to  
inform her teacher of the proceed-  
ing. So next day at school when op-  
portunity offered she held up her  
hand for recognition.

"What is it, Mary?" asked the  
teacher.

"Teacher, Uncle Jim says he's got  
a man for you," was the reply.  
Wilso

## MONEY AND PLEASURE.

The art of living easily is to fix  
your scale of living one degree be-  
low your means. Guard against  
the notion that, because pleasure can  
be bought with money, money can-  
not be spent without enjoyment.  
What a thing costs is no true mea-  
sure of its worth.

## PREACHES GOSPEL OF GOODNESS

(Continued from first page.)

after the North and the South had  
been reunited through the surrender  
of the army of the latter, it seemed  
as though it should have been given  
the immortal emancipator to live and  
solidify the union. But at that time  
was required a new hand, and a  
strong hand. Such was the Divine  
graciousness that it was provided in  
Grant. Still it took Garfield's death  
to unite the north and south insepar-  
ably.

At the time of McKinley's death  
anarchy was being preached through-  
out the country. Man could not stop  
the oncoming destruction but an in-  
finite God could and did, by McK-  
inley's death. The after effects of his  
murder was such as to effectually  
stop all talk of anarchy. Since that  
day there has not been an anarchistic  
speech made in any of the larger  
cities or the smaller towns.

"McKinley died that the country  
might live, in the same sense that  
the Savior died that men might live."  
So the lecturer declared.

Before his lecture Mr. Wilson was  
entertained by the Community club  
at luncheon. This is an organiza-  
tion in which he is particularly inter-  
ested and is in reality one of its  
founders. He was unanimously elect-  
ed an honorary member. Four  
guests from Monongahela were also  
present, Joseph A. Herron, Alderman  
A. R. Day, W. T. Gregg, and M. S.  
Warne. Women of the Christian  
church served the luncheon.

Mr Wilson lectured under the aus-  
pices of the Barrocca class of the  
First Christian church. Preliminary  
to his address a short musical pro-  
gram was carried out. Solos were  
sung by Warren Kinder, Miss Geor-  
gene Parsons and Rev. E. N. Duty.

## Bowl at Uniontown.

A party of Charleroi bowlers went  
to Uniontown Friday night where  
they bowled crack bowlers from that  
place. In the party were Willie  
Kuhn, and Willis Briggs who rolled  
in singles against the Uniontown  
bowlers. Woodward, Newton Rose  
and Osborne

## ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Desiree Binger.  
Letters of administration c. t. a  
in the estate of Desiree Binger, late  
of the Borough of Charleroi, Wash-  
ington county, Pennsylvania, having  
been granted to the undersigned, all  
persons indebted to the said estate  
are requested to make payment, and  
those having claims to present the  
same without delay to  
Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.,  
Administrator c. t. a.  
Charleroi, Pa.  
David M. McCloskey, Attorney.  
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## Join Our Christmas Savings Club

Starts Week of April 1st.

In Class 1, pay 1c the 1st week, 2c the 2d week, 3c the 3d week, 4c the 4th week, 5c the 5th week, 6c the 6th week, and so on for 36 weeks, and two weeks before Christmas we will mail you a check for \$8.66 with interest at 3 per cent.

Or in Class 2, pay 2c the 1st week, 4c the 2d week, 5c the 3d week, and so on and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$13.32 with interest at 3 per cent.

Or in Class 3, pay 5c the 1st week, 10c the 2d week, 15c the 3d week, and so on, and we will mail you a check two weeks before Christmas for \$33.30 with interest at 3 per cent.

**Payments Must Be Made Every Week, or May Be Made in Advance.**

Can you think of an easier way to provide money for Christmas presents?  
Join yourself—get everyone in the family to join. Show this to your friends and get them to join

**Everybody is Welcome to Join**

The Christmas Savings Club opens Monday, April 1st, and will remain open for enlisting depositors for two weeks only. Call and let us tell you about our plan.

## Charleroi Savings & Trust Co.

Charleroi, Pa.

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## Among the Theatres

### THE PALACE—CHARLEROI.

Different forms of coasting were shown in startling contrast in the Pathe Weekly at the Palace Theatre this week. One was in the icy confines of the snow-bound Alps in Switzerland, where merry coasters on sleds flew down the snowy steps. The other coasters, equally merry, were in tropical China, and they slid down an inclined water way on banana leaves into a pool below. In southern and western States, in Europe and elsewhere the Bulletin took the spectators, showing them big features which have made world-comment. Strong photoplays were "Out of the Depths," "A Christmas Santa Claus," "The Two Penitents," "Poisoned Arrows," and a "Dress Suit in Pawn." Donald J. Garrison's repertoire of illustrated songs contained the beautiful song "Emmalina" which was accompanied by some of the most beautiful slides ever presented. Mr. Garrison's singing together with the most excellent orchestra, are not the least of the attractions of the Palace. All the tragedy and humor of the drama was strongly portrayed throughout the week.

### THE COYLE—CHARLEROI.

"Falling Leaves" and the beautiful story of "Kathleen Mavourneen," were among the motion picture plays of more than ordinary merit at the Coyle Theatre this week. "Falling Leaves," was the story of a beautiful girl who was a victim of the Great White Plague. She is told by her physician that when the leaves all fall her spirit will have entered the mystic portal. Her little sister, hearing of this, goes out into the garden and ties some of the fallen leaves to the branches, in order to stay the Rider of the Pale Horse. A young physician who has discovered a serum that stays the ravages of tuberculosis, happens along, and the story has the usually happy ending. "The Poacher," and "Arresting Father" were strong tragic and humorous photoplays. Gaumont's Weekly showed the ladies the latest Paris fashions in gowns, as well as a big repertoire of leading international events. The big feature of the week, however, was the two reel film of Charles Dickens' masterpiece, "Nicholas Nickleby," which was produced to crowded houses Thursday.

### THE STAR—CHARLEROI

Following the big features at the opening of the week at the Star Theatre—"Through the Flames" and Rider Haggard's masterpiece "She,"—were other strong and thrilling photoplays. Among these were "A Modern Highwayman," "The Gambler's Daughter" and "The Indian Massacre." There was of course a new change of three reels every day—matinee and

night—in which was a varied repertoire of romance, humor, tragedy, educational and other novel features. There was not a dull moment during the entire week and Manager Cowan always has some big features on the string which are secured at the earliest opportunity.

### THE ALVIN—PITTSBURG

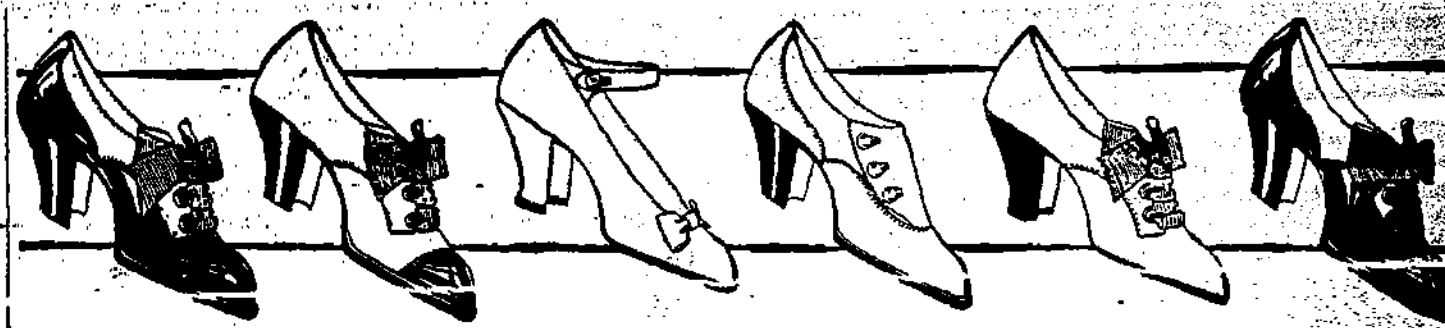
A gorgeous glittering galaxy of sirens the most notable ever seen in America, off Broadway, are gathered together in Lew Fields' luminous Jollie Follie, "Hanky Panky," which will be seen at the Alvin Theatre, Pittsburgh, for one week Monday, April 1, after 200 consecutive nights in Chicago.

Among the stars in the two-act dazzle is Max Rogers, surviving member of the famous Rogers Brothers, whose comedy vogue was paralleled only by Weber & Fields themselves at the time of Gus Rogers' sudden death; Carter De Haven, the "Fashion Plate" dancer, the suave player and subtle comedian, whose fame is international; "Bobby" North a regular Websterfieldian comedian who within four years has starred in Zeigfeld's "Follies," headlined in vaudeville and appeared as the leading delineator in a Frohman Broadway play; Florence Moore, who with her partner, Wm. Montgomery, became the talk of Broadway over night, with absolutely new and sensational conceptions of modern comedy—in one week their salary rose from \$50 to \$900; Harry Cooper, last year co-star with Mlle. Trentini in "Naughty Marietta"; Flora Parker, a courtesa, who during her infrequent theatrical appearances has been perhaps the most courted woman who ever trod the boards; Myrtle Gilbert and Lillian Lewis, graduates of the Broadway chorus whose metropolitan attributes have made them the toast of Broadway; Hugh Cameron, a character actor of unique comedy approach, stentorian lungs and effectively legitimate methods who has played important roles on both sides of the Atlantic.

The chorus, consisting of fifty selected young women of tried New York calibre, was the sensation of Chicago and created more comment and discussion in that city than any other single group in its history.

### THE GRAND—PITTSBURG.

Another of those merrily diversified and thoroughly high class vaudeville programs, for which the Grand has earned a national reputation is being prepared by Manager Harry Davis for the delectation of his patrons next week. Interest will be focused largely upon Dorothy Russell, the beautiful daughter of the famous American Beauty, Lillian Russell. Miss Russell is a vaudeville debutante. Her first appearance took place at Ham-



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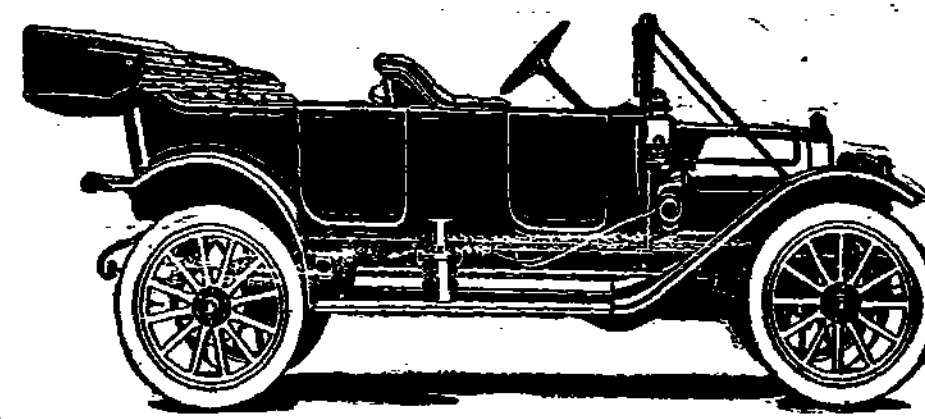
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## PITTSBURG SUNDAY POST'S NEW SERIAL MAKES SENSATION

"The Lost World," Sir Arthur Conan Doyle's masterpiece and his most recent work, began as a serial in the magazine of the Pittsburgh Sunday Post last Sunday, March 24th, and already it has created a sensation among all readers of fiction. In many respects it surpasses even his tales of the famous and fascinating Sherlock Holmes. Conan Doyle in this novel is even more clever than in his earlier works.

"The Lost World" is a tale of weird adventure and shows from the opening paragraphs the power of the author's ripened genius, especially in the characters that he portrays. Conan Doyle surpasses all his previous brilliancy in this story. Prof. Challenger, the principal character, probably is destined to rank as a literary creation with Sherlock Holmes. As depicted, the professor has the same magnetic and attractive personality as the great detective, though there is no other point of simplicity in the two characters. Moreover Challenger appeals to the reader because he is not so superhuman as Sherlock Holmes.

It is apparent now that the success of "The Lost World" will exceed even that of Conan Doyle's "Sir Nigel," one of the greatest serials ever written, that appeared several years ago in The Magazine of The Pittsburgh Sunday Post. For "Sir Nigel" the author was paid \$25,000 for the American serial rights alone. The rate per word paid him for "The Lost World" is even higher than for "Sir Nigel."

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Don't buy the cheapest car. The cheapest on the market is seldom a good buy in any sort of machinery.  
Buy no car because of a plausible appearance not yet tested for at least a year in actual service.  
Buy a car that hasn't an extreme feature in its makeup. There are cars that are too light, as well as cars that are too heavy.  
Buy a car that is a known quantity, built by a manufacturer of known reputation.  
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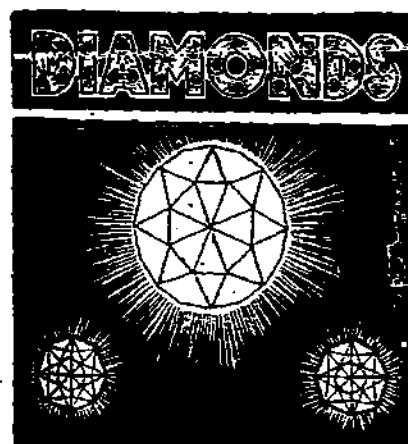
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(Continued from first page.)

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the work of the first posse and probably will organize another. According to the miners who were in the same room where Bartmelo was killed the two men had engaged in a verbal quarrel, presumably over Patrick's attention to the dead man's wife. When the quarrel was at its height, Bartmelo turned back to his work as if anxious to end the spat, when Patrick is said to have whipped out his revolver and fired three shots into the stooping man's back.

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**Episcopal**  
Corner of Lookout and Sixth. Palm Sunday. Early celebration of the holy communion at 8. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject of discourse, "Behold Your King." Evening services and Lenten lectures at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "Church History." This will be the last of the series of lectures for this Lenten season.

**Holy Week services.** Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday altar services at 10:30 each morning. Thursday, Maundy service, celebration of the holy communion at 8. Good Friday, morning prayer, litany, penitential office and address at 10:30. Evening prayer will be said Good Friday afternoon at 4. Saturday, Easter eve the Sacrament of Holy baptism will be administered in the church at 4. All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

**Baptist.**  
Bible School at 9:45, S. R. Hawkins, superintendent. Worship with sermon by the pastor at 11. Subject, "Looking Unto Jesus." Young Peoples meeting at 6:30. Monday evening at 7:30 a series of meetings will be started. Rev. D. L. Schultz, will do the preaching. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good." Rev. E. G. Stanley, pastor.

**First Methodist.**  
Corner of Sixth and Lincoln avenue. Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship at 10:45. Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League devotional meeting, led by Mrs. F. A. Richards and Miss Phyllis Murray, subject, "The Epworth League in Foreign Lands." at 6:30. Evangelistic service at 7:30. Evangelistic services each evening during the week. Everybody welcome. Next Sunday, Easter, is Rally Day in the Sunday school. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

**Washington Avenue Presbyterian**  
Sabbath School at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "Palms of Victory." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Topic, "At Jacob's Well." Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Foreign Missions of My Denomination." Leader, Mrs. Henderson. Evening preaching hour at 7:30. Sermon, "The Obstructed Way." Strangers welcome. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

**Lutheran.**  
Palm Sunday. Sunday school at 9:45. Preaching at 11 o'clock. Subject for sermon, "The Triumphal Entry." Luther League at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon "Plate's Question."

**First Presbyterian.**  
Sunday school at 9:45. Church at

11. Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:30. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:45. Evening services at 7:30. This will be closing of the church fiscal year. Rev. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

**St. James A. M. E.**  
Washington avenue. Quarterly meeting. Love feast and general class meeting led by the pastor at 11. Sunday school and adult Bible class at 2. Holy communion at 3. Sermon by Rev. A. G. Thomas of the Monessen A. M. E. church. The Monessen choir will sing for the occasion. D. R. Scott, is chorister. Allen Endeavor League, led by Miss Mabel J. Webster, at 6:30. Topic, "The Foreign Missions of My Denomination." Preaching by the presiding elder at 7:45. All are welcome to these services. Rev. L. V. Jones, pastor.

## SURPRISE GIVEN FOR MISS MARY WELSH

An enjoyable surprise party was given Friday evening in honor of the twelfth birthday of Miss Mary Welsh, at the home of her parents on Lookout avenue. Thirty-two of her little friends, composing members of her Sunday School and their friends formed the gathering. The evening was pleasantly spent with games and other diversions. Lunch consisting of cake and ice cream was served.

## ENTERTAINS CHURCH YOUNG LADIES CIRCLE

Misses Eleanor Wycoff and Marguerite Whitlatch entertained the Young Ladies Circle of the Washington Avenue church Thursday evening at the home of the former on Washington avenue. After the routine of business was gone through, Misses Minnie Elliott and Estelle Bandoux gave readings. "India Workings" was discussed. Diversions were games and music. At the close of the evening light refreshments were served.

## STREETS PUT IN SPIC AND SPAN APPEARANCE

Street Commissioner Jacob Hornell who can look at a street and tell more about it and what is wrong with it than any two men in town, started his spring cleaning work on Friday afternoon. He had the street force busily engaged in washing the bricks, using the fire hose to do it. Today the main streets present a beautiful spic and span appearance.

**Engagement Announced.**  
Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Madeline Sweeney, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gillford B. Sweeney of Pittsburgh to Rev. J. Lane Miller, pastor of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church, of Pittsburgh. Miss Sweeney has relatives in Charleroi.

**Team Has New Coach.**  
The Lutheran baseball team has a new coach who will meet with the team for the first time next Tuesday night at the church when the various matters of organization will be discussed.

## GIVES REASONS FOR OLD SITE

**Disinterested Expert States Why Brownsville Bridge Location Should be Same**

Several prominent business men of Brownsville who might approximately be termed, non-factionists, secured the services of a non-resident and disinterested engineer to make a report upon the local bridge situation. Following is the report which John Ross, of Morgantown, a civil engineer of recognized standing submitted:

In the interest of the taxpayers of the counties of Fayette and Washington and in particular in the interests of the citizens of Brownsville, South Brownsville and West Brownsville, after examination of available plans and personal investigation of proposed sites, for a new structure to replace the bridge lately removed, across the Monongahela at Brownsville, I wish to report what in my opinion is the most suitable location.

The site of the former bridge is the most feasible one for the location of the proposed new structure, considering:

1. With relation to established business of the counties and towns.
2. Cost of sub-structure, bridge and approaches.
3. Beauty of structure.
4. Damages.

By way of explanation I append the following:

1. "With relation to established business of the counties and towns." This site was established in 1833 as a private business enterprise and as such has been a success. With the location the bridge has answered all the requirements of the National Pike and in so doing the needs of the State and counties. The three towns are of further growth.

Business centres in the three towns have been determined by this location. The railroads have located their passenger and freight stations on the assumption that present travel and traffic conditions continue. Travel and traffic cannot be so well accommodated by any other location. Incoming and outgoing travel and traffic enter and leave the three towns with great facility under present arrangements. These could not otherwise be served with equal ease and with the same mutual advantage to travel and residents.

Business and residence values in the three towns are good and have been established by the present line of travel between the counties and towns. I therefore conclude that the location of the former bridge was based on good business judgment since it has admirably served the State, counties and towns from 1833 to and including the present.

## LOCAL MENTION

Mr and Mrs. L. R. Walters are in Pittsburgh today attending the funeral of John M. Sisley, who died Thursday morning.

Mrs. David Province of West Brownsville is spending the day with her mother, Mrs. Richard Majors.

Misses Elsie and Edith Crill went to Homestead this morning where the latter will participate in an eisteddfod tonight.

Miss Zella Franks went to Pittsburgh today with her sister who is re-

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The only crime I am charged with is that I have not always voted straight. What a lot of criminals there must be in Washington county, and there is going to be more I fear, if things are not changed.

In submitting my name as a Progressive Republican candidate I have been asked what I consider a Progressive Republican. Above all he is against boss rule. He is against all kinds of secret conferences and political scheming. He favors the open primary that all the people may voice their preference on every party nominee. He is neither a populist nor populistic, but he is for a government where the people rule, not only in name but in fact.

The Republican party in Washington county has enough such voters in it to do this if they will but turn out and vote and well do the bosses know this.

The Progressive has come to stay, and if he does not win this year, will be found on the job next year, or until better political conditions exist, and the political boss is eliminated.

To such along with those who believe we should have local option and are especially interested in that subject, I submit my candidacy. I will be pleased to answer any questions submitted by those interested, by mail, telephone or personally.





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### GIVES REASONS FOR OLD SITE

Disinterested Expert States  
Why Brownsville Bridge Location Should be Same

Several prominent business men of Brownsville who might approximately be termed, non-factionists, secured the services of a non-resident and disinterested engineer to make a report upon the local bridge situation. Following is the report which John Ross, of Morgantown, a civil engineer of recognized standing submitted:

In the interest of the taxpayers of the counties of Fayette and Washington and in particular in the interests of the citizens of Brownsville, South Brownsville and West Brownsville, after examination of available plans and personal investigation of proposed sites for a new structure to replace the bridge lately removed, across the Monongahela at Brownsville, I wish to report what in my opinion is the most suitable location. The site of the former bridge is the most feasible one for the location of the proposed new structure, considering:

1. With relation to established business of the counties and towns.
2. Cost of sub-structure, bridge and approaches.
3. Beauty of structure.
4. Damages.

By way of explanation I append the following:

1. "With relation to established business of the counties and towns." This site was established in 1833 as a private business enterprise and as such has been a success. With the location the bridge has answered all the requirements of the National Pike and in so doing the needs of the State and counties. The three towns are of further growth.
2. Business centres in the three towns have been determined by this location. The railroads have located their passenger and freight stations on the assumption that present travel and traffic conditions continue. Travel and traffic cannot be so well accommodated by any other location. Incoming and outgoing travel and traffic enter and leave the three towns with great facility under present arrangements. These could not otherwise be served with equal ease and with the same mutual advantage to travel and residents.
3. Business and residence values in the three towns are good and have been established by the present line of travel between the counties and towns. I therefore conclude that the location of the former bridge was based on good business judgment since it has admirably served the State, counties and towns from 1833 to and including the present.

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### MINE IS SCENE OF TRAGEDY

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and miners set out in pursuit. District Attorney R. G. Miller was notified of the killing by telephone and detailed County Detective William G. McCleary on the case. He will direct the work of the first posse and probably will organize another.

According to the miners who were in the same room where Bartmelo was killed the two men had engaged in a verbal quarrel, presumably over Patrick's attention to the dead man's wife. When the quarrel was at its height, Bartmelo turned back to his work as if anxious to end the spat, when Patrick is said to have whipped out his revolver and fired three shots into the stooping man's back.

### SUNDAY SERVICES AT THE CHURCHES

**First Christian**  
Bible school at 9:45. Lords supper and preaching at 11. Evening worship at 7:30. Wednesday prayer meeting at 7:30. Morning subject, "Safety of Children." This message is preparatory to Decision Day service, Easter Sunday. Evening subject, "The Conversion of the First Gentile." This is the fifth sermon in a series of seven on "Conversion." Evangelical services with special gospel music. Wednesday evening prayer meeting at 7:30. All are welcome. Rev. E. N. Duty, pastor.

**Episcopal**  
Corner of Lookout and Sixth. Palm Sunday. Early celebration of the holy communion at 8. Sunday school and Bible class at 9:45. Morning prayer and sermon at 11. Subject of discourse, "Behold Your King." Evening services and Lenten lecture at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "Church History." This will be the last of the series of lectures for this Lenten season.

**Holy Week services.** Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday altar services at 10:30 each morning. Thursday, Maundy service, celebration of the holy communion at 8. Good Friday, morning prayer, litany, penitential office and address at 10:30. Evening prayer will be said Good Friday afternoon at 4. Saturday, Easter eve the Sacrament of Holy baptism will be administered in the church at 4. All are cordially invited. Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

**Baptist**  
Bible School at 9:45, S. R. Hawkins, superintendent. Worship with sermon by the pastor at 11. Subject, "Looking Unto Jesus." Young Peoples meeting at 6:30. Monday evening at 7:30 a series of meetings will be started. Rev. D. L. Schultz, will do the preaching. "Come thou with us and we will do thee good." Rev. E. G. Stanley, pastor.

**First Methodist**  
Corner of Sixth and Lincoln avenue. Sunday school at 9:30. Public worship at 10:45. Junior Epworth League at 2. Epworth League devotional meeting, led by Mrs. F. A. Richards and Miss Phyllis Murray, subject, "The Epworth League in Foreign Lands," at 6:30. Evangelistic service at 7:30. Evangelistic services each evening during the week. Everybody welcome. Next Sunday, Easter, is Rally Day in the Sunday school. Rev. F. A. Richards, minister.

**Washington Avenue Presbyterian**  
Sabbath School at 9:45. Preaching at 11. Sermon, "Palms of Victory." Jr. C. E. at 2:30. Topic "At Jacob's Well." Sr. C. E. at 6:30. Topic, "Foreign Missions of My Denomination." Leader, Mrs. Henderson. Evening preaching hour at 7:30. Sermon, "The Obstructed Way." Strangers welcome. Rev. John R. Burson, pastor.

**Palm Sunday.** Sunday school at 9:15. Preaching at 11 o'clock. Subject for sermon, "The Triumphal Entry." Luther League at 6:30. Preaching at 7:30. Sermon "Plate's Question."

**First Presbyterian.**  
Sunday school at 9:45. Church at

after a week's visit here.

Don Allen attended a show in Pittsburgh Friday evening.

Miss Nancy Frye has left for Warren where she has accepted a position as milliner.

G. W. Beck of Williamsport is here on business.

**Six Eldora Lots for Sale.**  
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### SURPRISE GIVEN FOR MISS MARY WELSH

An enjoyable surprise party was given Friday evening in honor of the twelfth birthday of Miss Mary Welch, at the home of her parents on Look-out avenue. Thirty-two of her little friends, composing members of her Sunday School and their friends formed the gathering. The evening was pleasantly spent with games and other diversions. Lunch consisting of cake and ice cream was served.

### ENTERTAINS CHURCH YOUNG LADIES CIRCLE

Misses Eleanor Wycoff and Marguerite Whitlatch entertained the Young Ladies Circle of the Washington Avenue church Thursday evening at the home of the former on Washington avenue. After the routine of business was gone through, Misses Minnie Elliott and Estelle Baudoux gave readings. "India Workings" was discussed. Diversions were games and music. At the close of the evening light refreshments were served.

### LOCAL MENTION

Mr and Mrs. L. R. Walters are in Pittsburgh today attending the funeral of John M. Sisley, who died Thursday morning.

Mrs. David Province of West Brownsville is spending the day with her mother, Mrs. Richard Majors.

Misses Elsie and Edith Crill went to Homestead this morning where the latter will participate in an eisteddfod tonight.

Miss Zella Franks went to Pittsburgh today with her sister who is re-

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### STREETS PUT IN SPIC AND SPAN APPEARANCE

Street Commissioner Jacob Hornell who can look at a street and tell more about it and what is wrong with it than any two men in town, started his spring cleaning work on Friday afternoon. He had the street force busily engaged in washing the bricks, using the fire hose to do it. Today the main streets present a beautiful spic and span appearance.

**Engagement Announced.**  
Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Madeline Sweeney, the daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Gillford B. Sweeney of Pittsburgh to Rev. J. Lane Miller, pastor of the Asbury Methodist Episcopal church, of Pittsburgh. Miss Sweeney

**Team Has New Coach.**  
The Lutheran baseball team has a new coach who will meet with the team for the first time next Tuesday night at the church when the various matters of organization will be discussed.

## A PROGRESSIVE REPUBLICAN Not a "Straddler"

### CANDIDATE FOR ASSEMBLY

## DR. JOHN B. DONALDSON OF CANONSBURG

After doing some canvassing in the county I have made up my mind that this is no year to even attempt a "straddle" on any question. The people are asking questions and will not be put off.

The only crime I am charged with is that I have not always voted straight. What a lot of criminals there must be in Washington county, and there is going to be more I fear, if things are not changed.

In submitting my name as a Progressive Republican candidate I have been asked what I consider a Progressive Republican. Above all he is against boss rule. He is against all kinds of secret conferences and political scheming. He favors the open primary that all the people may voice their preference on every party nominee. He is neither a populist nor populist, but he is for a government where the people rule, not only in name but in fact.

The Republican party in Washington county has enough such voters in it to do this if they will but turn out and vote and well do the bosses know this.

The Progressive has come to stay, and if he does not win this year, will be found on the job next year, or until better political conditions exist, and the political boss is eliminated.

To such along with those who believe we should have local option and are especially interested in that subject, I submit my candidacy. I will be pleased to answer any questions submitted by those interested, by mail, telephone or personally.